

## ALEXANDRIA.

SATURDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 8.

THE SO CALLED reformers of Baltimore can't have much regard for the reputation of the city in which they live, and whose interests they profess to have so much at heart, as they proclaim to the world that it is in the hands and under the control of a set of ballot-box stuffers, greedy robbers and set of ballot-box stuffers. red-handed murderers. A city in such a miserable condition, of course, can attract only the vicious and criminal classes—peoonly the vicious and criminal classes-people with either money or character to lose, or with even lives that they care to preserve, naturally giving it a wide berth. As a general rule "reformers" are as unscrupulous in the means they employ to attain retaining it. If there be wrong in the mu nicipal government of Baltimore-and it would be a wonderful American city if there were not-and if the democrats have an undoubted majority there, as they have, that wrong can be corrected by and within the party, and not only without seeking the aid of the avowed enemies of the party, and of men whose past history shows that all they want to exceed that wrong is opportunity, but also without attempting to injure the fame and name of one of the fairest cities in the land. If the people of Baltimore be wise, and consult their own material welfare, they will set their seal of condemnation up on the uttempt referred to by electing the democratic ticket by a rousing majority.

THE MANAGERS of the Atlanta exposition refused to invite ex President Davis to that exposition, and the managers of the Lee monument at Richmond refused to delay for one day the laying of the corner stone of that monument so that Mr. Davis might be present; but the managers of the grand ex-Confederate reunion at Macon have not only invited him, but will make him the especial guest of the occasion. The action of the two former committees is a manifestation of the "new," that of the latter, of the "old" South. It is needless to say that the latter meets a responsive thrill deep down in the hearts of the vast majority of the people who supported the lost cause from principle, and whose national feeling compels them to sympathize with the men who led that cause.

ACCORDING TO the tariff now in operation the Massachusetts fish packers get a rebate on the foreign salt they use equal to the duty on salt; but no such favor is granted the Virginia farmer on the salt he is compelled to use in making his butter. And yet, there are Virginia farmers, few though they be, who vote for congressional representatives opposed to the removal of the duty on salt, and who will vote for members of the legislature who will support General Mahone for U. S. Senator, though he will vote against the removal of that unjust

ON SEVERAL occasions since the adjournment of Congress doubts have been expressed concerning the binding effect of the republican caucus of the U.S. Senate upon the action of Senator Riddleberger. No doubts were ever more groundless. A father may forget his son, and a son his father, but Mr. Riddleberger, so long as he remains in the Senate, will never forget to vote as the radical republican caucus of that body shall direct him, and all talk to the contrary fatally injured. is a waste of words-to those to whom words are of any value.

PERHAPS THE fact that the Attorney General of Virginia, and other State officers. have now been fined heavily by a U. S. court for contempt in persisting in their vain efforts to set up a State law in opposition to the decisions of the U.S. Supreme Court, may be sufficient to induce those officers to realize the extreme folly of attempting to obstruct the inevitable. The State would have been justified in opposing the federal government before 1861; in doing so now she only makes herself ridiculous.

State, and the democratic collector and postmaster at Boston be independent enough to set at defiance the wishes of the other democrats of that city and State in respect of the retention of republican subordinates, how could the democrats there be blamed if they shall be independent enough to slay at home on election day, or even to vote the republican ticket?

THE DEMOCRATIC convention which met here to day to nominate a candidate for the ing of the corner stone of the Lee monuthing in selecting for re election Judge Charles E. Stuart, who has represented this of Robert E. Lee's character. As a public city and county for the past three terms, enemy we respected him, while we fought Charles E. Stuart, who has represented this and who has twice had conferred upon him against his cause and the preservation of the honor of being elected Speaker of the House. And now it behooves all those who have the true interests of the community at heart to see that his election is doubly as-

[Piedmont Advance.] The Alexandria GAZETTE is one of the has most fully criticised the administration. According to its views the democratic ad ministration has not been sufficiently democratic. The GAZETTE had a right to ex-

FROM WASHINGTON.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexa, GAZETTE]

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 8, 1887. A newspaper man from Baltimore, here to-day, says the practical effect of the fuss the so called reformers have kicked up there will be to bring out the full democratic vote at the coming election, and to strengthen the bold the democrats have upon that city, as they will claim, and with jum for eighteen years. good reason, to be the special defenders of the city's good name.

Ex-Secretary and present Representative Goff, republican, of West Virginia, who was here yesterday, has been invited by General Mahone to take part in the Virginia campaign, and, after visiting the General at his home, in Petersburg, will make several speeches at such places as the General shall designate.

A gentleman from Petersburg, Va., here to-day, 1978 Messis, Lewis McKenzie and Charles Dearborn, of Alexandria, were there yesterday to consultation with Gen Mahone that the General claims be will elect 67

delegate from Alexandria among them.

Ex-Postmaster Windsor, of Alexandria,
has sold another one of the three dwelling

and the price was \$18,000 resigned that position on full pay a short time sgo under the age privilege of the law, was yesterday admitted to practice in the lous in the means they employ to actual was resternly admitted to power, as those they desire to depose arc of court over which he once presided. His power, as those they desire to depose arc of action is the occasion of some comment among the lawyers here, who say the law referred to was passed for the benefit of judges worn out by service on the bench, and not for those strong enough to practice

aw. The Judge is a thrifty man. Surgeon General Hamilton this morning received the following telegrams:

TAMPA, Fla. October 7.
Four deaths from yellow fever and about twenty cases. Few of these have passed the fever stage of seventy-two hours. Many people have fied. It may be necessary to establish a camp of refuge in the country. The mails can be fumigated.

J. P. Wall, M. D.

SANFORD, Fla., October 7.

Can you loan me tents for refugees from epidemic at Tampa?

KING WYLLY, M. D.,

President Florida Health Association.

In response to this Dr. Hamilton ordered tents to be sent to Sandford. The Surgeon General has sent a dispatch to Col. Haines, superintendent of the Plant Line of steamers, and Savanuah and Florida Railroad, stating that in his judgment sleeping cars should not be allowed to go beyond Palatka until the Tampa epidemic is over and the panic shall have ceased.

The report of U. S. Consul General Bon ham, at Calcutta, says the export of wheat from India increased from 300,000 cwt. in 1868 to 21,000,000 cwt. in 1886, and that the increase of 1886 over 1885 amounted to about

office of the clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives, and who has many acquaintances in Alexandria, has resigned his position here to take charge of the new free trade paper that has been started in Macon,

his State.
Mr. Randall left this morning for Atlanta, the exposition. The invitation was first exchairman of the ways and means committee.
Governor Fitzhugh Lee, of Virginia, is in the city to-day. He speaks very confidently of democratic success in his State at the election next month. Respecting the recent primary in Richmond, he says it fully equaled the most sanguing democratic projections and assures the election. democratic expectations, and assures the election of the democratic ticket there.

NEWN OF THE DAY

The busness failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days

take part in the political fight.

The Grand Duke Nicholas declared re cently that when the occasion arose, he and a number of other Russians would join the French army.

Mrs. Julia Naylor, a well-known society lady of Philadelphia, was thrown from a carriage in Fairmont Park yesterday and

Nina Van Zandt Spies, the proxy wife of the condemned anarchist, is very much opposeed to her husband receiving attentions from other women.

The presidential party left Milwaukee yesterday for Madison, Wisconsin, where they were heartly welcomed. They are the guests of Postmaster-General Vilas.

The Rev. French S. Evans died at his home in Washington, yesterday, aged 86 years. He was one of the best known Methodist Episcopal ministers in the

As stated in the GAZETTE, the Volunteer arrived at Marblehead, Mass., yesterday. A public reception was given by the city of ston last night to Gen. Charles J. Paine independent enough to vote against the democratic candidate for Governor of that people shook hands with them.

The West Virginia Conference of the M. Church is in session in Parkersburg, Bishop Bowman presiding. The conference confirmed the action of a committee in purchasing a lot of land near Buchanan, on which a seminary is to be erected. The African Conference is also in session in

A TRIBUTE TO LEE .- Gen. Geo. W. Morgan, of Ohio, who commanded a federal division of troops during the late war, in responding to an invitation to attend the layof the North and West highly appreciate night, as was also Jos. Vilas, a prominent the grand simplicity, strength and loftiness | railroad man, and cousin of the Postmaster the Union. As a gentleman we admired him for his integrity, and placed a high estimate on the wisdom of his course after the restoration of peace."

A GIANT.-There is a man of Indian descent named Pickett Nelson, living in Essex of personal vituperation. Mr. Vilas knockcounty, Va., who is a veritable giant. He leading newspapers in the United States that is over 7 feet tall and weighs 340 pounds. With his arms outstretched he measures 7 feet and 4 inches from his finger tips. From the base of his hand at the wrist to the end of his middle finger is 12 inches. His foot press its opinion. It did so with the pur- is 142 inches long and he wears about a No. pose not to overthrow but to correct the administration.

18 shoe. His lasts are hand made, as there is no lathe large enough to turn them. He clearly defined as ever. It is true the dem-

VIRGINIA NEWS.

The democratic superintendent of Richmond last night issued an address congratulating the party upon the large vote polled in Thursday's primary.

Thaddeus Pagand, an escaped lunation from the asylum at Staunton, was arrested TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC NEWS. in Petersburg yesterday and committed to jail. Pagand has been confined in the asy-

The Shenandoah county fair closed at Woodstock, yesterday, after a prosperous meeting. The chief attraction was the lady riders. The prize, a handsome gold chain, was awarded to Miss Tommie Stickley, of Strasburg.

The ex-Confederate soldiers of Pittsylvania county held a reunion at Chatham yes-terday, which was attended by a large number of old soldiers and others. A perma-nent organization was effected, and steps were taken to erect a suitable monument to deceased soldiers from Pittsylvania county.

The annual fair of the Virginia Agricultuthat the General claims be will elect 67 members of the House of Delegates, and that he will have a majority of the Legislature on joint ballot, and that he includes the delegate from Alexandria among them.

The annual fair of the Virginia Agricultural and Industrial Association, near Petersburg, next week. The opening address will be made by John M. Langston. Gov. Lee will

U. S. Marshal Scott served a notice on Commonwealth's Atterney Gleaves, at Wytheville, yesterday, to appear before the United States Court at Richmond, for proand the price was \$18,000

Judge Andrew Wylie, formerly of AlexJudge Andrew Wylie, formerly of Alexandrie, more recently one of the judges of ceeding against persons in Wythe county who tendered coupens in payment of taxes. Gleaves refused to answer the summons in person, filing his answer. Notice of restraint was filed on the sheriff and clerk.

The Judge's Opinion.

After the delivery of the opinion in the coupon cases in the U.S. Circuit Court in Richmond, yesterday, counsel for the bondholders asked for a few minutes for consultation, which was granted. Subsequently the Attorney General requested that all further proceedings be deferred until this morning, as he would probably desire to file some additional pleadings before the decree was entered.

Mr. Royall's side assented to this proposition and it was so ordered. So the cases went over.

From Judge Bond the Attorney-General will no doubt seek a way to appeal to the

United States Supreme Court.

In view of yes orday's decision the parties in contempt and the Court are now getting to close quarters. The first man in all Virginia to disobey the Judge's injunctions in these cases was Attorney General Ayers. So far that fact has been overlooked by Judge Bond. The parties ruled to answer for failure to respect Judge Bond's restrain-ing orders are Mr. McCabe, of Loudoun; Mr. John scott, of Fauquier; and Mr. Gleaves, of Wythe-all attorneys for the Commonwealth.

The order was not served upon Mr. Mc-Cabo at all, though it may have been served upon his predecessor. The order was not served upon Mr. Gleaves by such an officer increase of 1886 over 1885 amounted to about 5,000,000 cwt. He says India is now second to the United States as a grain-growing country, and will soon be a formidable comprohably served upon Mr. Scott in conformity with the United States as a producer to with the law, but he disregarded it for the law. reasons given in his answer, which was reof the staff of life.

Mr. Richardson, of Georgia, a clerk in the cently published in this paper.

Apparently the jail doors are opening to receive Mr. Scott. He is not the man to recede from a position taken after due deliberation, and Judge Bond has some reputa-

So, as things now stand, it would appear to be likely that Judge Bond will order Mr. where he will deliver the opening speech of Scott to jail. If so-advanced in years as the exposition. The invitation was first exremain until the Attorney General can bring committee of the next House, and thinks that Mr. Cox, rather than Mr. Mills, will be chairman of the ways and many and means of the ways and the ways ar

WHERE DIAMONDS ARE POLISHED .- One of the great industries of Amsterdam is the cutting and polishing of diamonds; and nearly all the finest diamonds in the world are brought there to be cut into shape. We will make a visit to one of the principal diamond establishments, and when we get there I think we shall be surprised to find a great factory, four or five stories high, a steam engine in the basement, and flywheels, and leathern bands, and all sorts of whirring machinery in the different stories. On the very top floor the diamonds are finished and polished, and here we see skillful Loss \$25,000; insurance \$8,000. Mrs. M. C. workmen sitting before rapidly revolving Schmidling, to whom the hotel belonged, is disks of steel, against which the diamonds the heaviest loser. are pressed and polished. It requires great skill, time and patience before one of these valuable gems is got into that shape in which it will best shine, sparkle, and show its purity. Nearly half the diamonds produced in the world, the best of which come from Brazil, are sent to this factory to be cut and polished. Here the great Koh i-noor was cut; and we are shown models of that and of other famous diamonds that were cut in these rooms.

TURTLE-LIVER OIL IN CONSUMPTION .-At the Colonial and Indian Exhibition tur tle-liver oil was shown among the novel country, having become an active member medical commodities, together with several of that Church in early life, preparations of that famous rentile presumapreparations of that famous reptile presumably valuable for invalid diet, and in particular turtle eggs, the latter consisting entirely of yolk. In their mature state the eggs bave a tough skip and contain a white albumen which does not become opaque when the eggs are boiled; to obtain the eggs without the albumen the plan is resorted to, it ap pears, of extracting them from the interior of the animal, in which state these immature eggs are about one inch in diameter, and. independent of any special effect on the sysare considered a very palatable article of food. The turtle-liver oil is given in consumption, instead of cod-liver oil, and is said to be more agreeable than the latter, when fresh; the dose commonly administered is a teaspoonful three times a day

A Row .- Edward C. Wall, Collector of Internal Revenue for Milwaukee, was present at the banquet to the President Thursday General. Mr. Wall has a shrunken leg, which necessitates his using a crutch. After the banquet was over, about 1:30 a. m., they were both in the rotunda, along with a throng of other men dressed in claw-hammer coats, when Vilas happened to stumble against Wall. In retaliation the collector treated the railroad magnate and cousin of the Postmaster General to a choice selection wondering whether the result will be a duel or simply a change in the internal revenue is very severe on the farmers.

MR. BARBOUR .- The point in this contest is to beat Mahone. If Mr. Barbour were to clearly defined as ever. It is true the dem-ocrats, if they win, intend to give Mr. Bar-



The Contempt Cases.

[Special Dispatch to the Alexandria Gazette.] RICHMOND, Oct. 8 .- To-day Judge Bond, of the United States Circuit Court, passed upon the contempt cases growing out of the coupon suits. Attorney General Avers was fined \$500 and Commonwealth's Attorney Scott, of Fauquier, \$10. Both were put in custody of the marshal to remain till they purge themselves of what Judge Bond considered contempt. The Attorney General, through counsel, will apply to the United States Supreme Court for a writ of habeas

The Court furthermore made the injunction order heretofore given perpetual.

In the Scott case, from Fauquier, Judge Bond said: "The respondent in this case seems, from his answer to the rule, to be so blinded by the ancient doctrine of State sovereigoty that he does not seem to know that United States. To punish a man under these circumstances, as the Court ought to punish a man of the ideas prevalent since the adoption of the Constitution, would be manifestly unjust, and would be ne unjust as it would be to punish a blind man equally with one who can see." [By Associated Press.]

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 8 -In the United States Circuit Court to-day Judge Bond fined Attorney General Ayers \$500 for bringing suits under the law known as the 'coupon crusher," in disobedience of his injunction order, and committed him to the of Fauquier and Loudoun counties for dis are dismissed.

Foreign News.

LONDON, Oct. 8 .- Intelligence has been received here that an emeute has occurred among the Chinese soldiers stationed in Dublaschan, on the Russo-Chinese frontier. Several officers were murdered. A quantity of ammunition and a sum of money belong. ing to the government were seized by the mutineers. The commander-in-chief of the troops was panic stricken and fled.

ROME, Oct. 8 .- Signor Crispi, the Italian prime minister, has returned to this city from Friedrichsruhe, where he went to visit Prince Bismarck. He was met at the station by the minister of marine and his first words to the latter were, "I bring peace."

DUBLIN, Oct. 8 .- Lord Mayor Sullivan, in his paper, continues to publish reports of the proceedings of suppressed branches of the league. The Nation mentions as an in dication of the support upon which it can count in defence of the liberty of the press that several influential English and Scotch newspaper proprietors have offered the use of their premises, machinery and staffs if the government closes the Nation office

OWATONNA, Minn., Oct. 8 -A fire here vesterday destroyed the Winona and St. Peter elevator and contents, about 5,000 bushels of wheat, the large ore house of N. C. Harson, and the water tank of the Winona and St. Peter road. Loss on ele vator about \$15,000; warehouse and contents \$1,100; tank and track \$300. Insurance on most of the property.

EMPORIA, Kan., Oct. S .- Fire yesterday the heaviest loser.

RAHWAY, N. J., Oct. 8 .- Fire last night destroyed the lumber sheds of D. B. Dunham, a large carriage manufacturer. The loss is \$4,000; insured. The fire was the work of an incendiary. The citizens are indignant and are talking of forming vigilance committees.

Evictions.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Oct. 8 .- Dr. H. M. Hamlin, whose name was mentioned in a recent dispatch from Washington regarding the alleged eviction of settlers on lands in O'Brien county claimed by the English syndicate by virtue of purchase from the old McGregor and Western Reilroad, was in the Anderson, Thomas, 2 city to-day and in an interview reiterates his statement that hardship has been wrought and force used in several instances | Bolden where settlers refused to depart from the Chapman, Miss Ada Chapman, Bennett land they had secured by right of settlement.

Accompanying the doctor was a farmer

Chapman, Bu
Chapm named Finch who says that two weeks ago | Cole, Miss Cynthin a sheriff's posse of fifteen men evicted him by force from his home where he had lived for years. He also says that local papers Dounty, George Dunn, Miss Jess have made no mention of the facts because Dunn, Miss Jessie Entwisle, Miss Bessie they were subsidized by the English capital- Fritzinger, Mrs Sarah ists. He says there are a number of instances where force has been used and the Graham, W R settlers propose to carry the matter into the Harris, Miss Carrie C courts and maintain their rights if possi-hardy, Miss Jennie Hardy, Miss Ella

Ravages of Hog Cholera.

GENESEE, Ill., Oct. S .- Within the past three weeks over five hundred head of hogs have died of cholera in Western township. Henry, Miss Jennie The disease is slowly spreading and is taking both old and young hogs. The loss from this cause to the farmers of Henry county this fall already amounts to \$12,000. The disease exists in Phonix, Edford, Wethersfield, Andover, Western Kewanee, Loraine and other townships in the county. This loss coming on the heels of the drought

Attempt to Wreck a Train. SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Oct. 8 .- An attempt

was made last night to wreck the Yankton passenger train on the Milwaukes and St. Paul road, on a curve a mile this side of El-The Sultan of Morocco is dead, and his sixteen-years old son has taken the oath of office.

The Sultan of Morocco is dead, and his years old and is quiet and modest in his bour the Senatorial place, for no man in their ranks more fleserves it.—Amherst New late to stop, but luckily the train.

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derailed. Over 500 excursionists were MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL crowded into the coaches, and had the designs of the villains been accomplished the quiet and decidedly weak this morning. loss of life wou'd have been frightful. A prices being from 24 to 34 per cent, below yestersheriff's posse is on the trail of the perpeday's final figures. The market soon became

Mysterious Death.

OTTAWA, Oct. 8 .- J. D. Raymond, U. S. Consul in this city about twenty years ago, was found dead yesterday morning in Mc-Crady & Son's tannery at Brockville with a o'clock, at which time the market was dull an bullet hole in his side. Death had evidently taken place early in the night. It is not believed that he committed suicide, but how the shooting occurred is unknown. The family of the deceased live in Ogdensburg,

Family Poisoned.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Oct. 8 .- David Ogletree, his wife and two children, were poisoned at their home near Talladega, Ala., Thursday, by drinking whiskey in which strychnine had been placed by Mrs. Ogletree. They are all dead. Mrs. Ogletree had threatened to poison the entire family, and yesterday she carried out her threat.

Locked-Out Brass Workers.

NEW YORK, Oct. S .- Over 2,000 brass workers of this city and Brooklyn are mand for prime Wheats for home milling and fo locked-out to-day because they would not relinquish the Saturday half boliday. Notices were posted in the factories owned by members of the chandelier manufacturers' beginning to be offered, but only in the ear, association notifying the employees that they would be closed last night.

The President Gone Fishing. MADISON, Wis., Oct. 8 .- This is good fish-

ing weather and the President and his companions have gone fishing on Lake Men-

WALKING ON THE WATER.-Capt. Paul Boyton, the swimmer, appeared in a new custody of the marshal until the fine is paid. Froic last Monday and walked on the Alle-He also fined the commonwealth's attorneys a ghany river, much to the astonishment of the multitude which gathered to watch the obeying the same order and committed them affect. It is certain that no multitude ever until the fines are paid and the suits brought; saw such feet—in fact, it saw little else than feet, and from their size it is rather a won der that he accomplished the feat of walk ing from a point a little above the Union to Seventh street bridge. A couple hundred boats accompanied the pedestrian on his journey. There were boats of all kinds, but it was the steam vessels which gave him the most trouble by stirring up the water until it made rather a hazardous promenade for the captain. He walked along, however, like a barefooted boy in a stubble field, and reached the end of his journey without mishap. Then he put on a rubber suit and with a small cance paddle propelled himself down the river .-Pittsburg Chronicle.

> 'Twill save you lots of money And many a doctor's bill; Bronchitis, cold, or hoarseness Bull's Cough Syrup will kill.

Base Ball. The record of championship games played by the League clubs to date is as follows: 

The entire Metropolitan Club has been sold to the Brooklyns for \$25,000, and has ceased to ex-ist as a club.

The League season will close with the games to be played to-day, and the Association season will close on Monday. The Detroits, champions of the League, and the St. Louis, champions of the associan, will play a series of games commencing next week to decide the championship of the world.

"Heart disease, due to tight lacing," was the cause of death given by the coroner's Philadelphia, who fell back with a cry of pain while laughing at a comedian's joke in a theatre in that city Thursday afternoon.

"Mother the birds are singing-the sun is bright—the ladies are all out in spring destroyed the Merchants' Hotel, the livery dresses and I can't wear mine for fear of stable of J. R. McKenzie, and the agricul- neuralgia." "Pshaw, child, go out and be tural implement store of Griffith & Ewing. happy. Only don't forget to buy a bottle of Salvation Oil.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP, for children toething, is the prescription of one of the best female nurses and physicians in the United States, and has been used for forty years with never-failing success by millions of mothers for their children. During the process of teething its value is incalculable. It relieves the child from pain, cures dysentery and diarrhoa, griping in the bowels, and wind-colic. By giving health to the child it rests the mother. Price 25 cents a botals.

LIST OF LETTERS. The following is a list of the letters remaining in

the Alexandria, Va., postoffice October S. Persons calling for letters will please say they are advertised.

Advertised letters, not called for within thirty days, will be sent to the dead letter office.

Hollins, Mrs Manly

Lee, Miss Maggie

Lally & Co, M Nalls, Mrs Richard

Phillips, J H Price, Mrs Sarah Bansom, Miss Lottie

Riffle, Harry Roy, Mrs Tena Rosa, William

Scott, Morris Scott, Mrs Nellie

Smith, Betsy Smith, Edward W

Staples, L Farry, Mrs Annie

Tanner, John H Teroy, Mrs Annie Tibbs, R H

Tryvers, Jas Turner, Mrs Woodson

Weiga, Harry Weightman, Mrs Dr Wm Williams, Rhoda

Tunkel, C H

Jackson, John

Jefferson, Jack

Alexander, CR Allen, Miss Matilda Bailey, C i Cook. Miss Tillie Dame, J C Hanling, John Hardy, Lizzie Haynes, W A Hulbrook, John

W. W. HERBERT, P. M. PAINT YOUR BUGGY FOR ONE DOLLAR. Another supply of CROWN CARRIAGE GLOSS PAINT; ready for use; only one coat necessary. W. F. CREIGHTON & CO.

DERRY'S HARNESS OIL SOAP.

Three sizes-\$1, 50 and 25c sizes; the finest article in the world for harness. For sale by feb27 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. UST RECEIVED-Another lot of TAYLOR'S

IMPROVED PATENT BUSTLES, self-folding, and for comfort and durability cannot be sur-passed. Latest style. AMOS B. SLAYMAKÉR.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8 .- The stock market opens moderately active, but there was no improvement in the tone of the dealings, and decided weakness was displayed in some stocks, while others were very well held. There was a decrease in the activity late in the hour and a part recovery was made, but the weakness reappeared toward 11 heavy. The bulk of the trading was confined ;

six or seven stocks. Money easy at 4. NEW YORK, Oct. S .- The weekly bank star Reserve, decrease, Loans, increase, Specie, decrease, Legal tenders, increase, Circulation, decrease The banks now hold in excess of the

BALTIMORE, Oct. S .- Virginia tis consolidati 45; past-due coupons 60; 10-40s 36; new 3

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Oct. S .- Floor is -erately active, with increasing receipts, and the is no change in prices. The grain markets has een more healthy in tone during the past wee and close steady. We still note a constant figures are paid for such grades; sales to-day 'Change showed the usual range from 70 to 80 to quality and condition. Corn is quiet; new white sold at 55 per bushel for a fair lot; no ye low has been received for several days. Oats a fair and active. Prime Butter and Eggs are hig er. Other produce is without material chang

Baltimore, Oct. 8.—Cotion steady and dull middling 9½. Flour firm, with an active demand. Wheat—Southern quiet and firm; red so a82; amber 82a84; Western lower, closing dull; No 2 winter red spot 79a7.9½; Oct.787.3479½, Nov. 80½, a80½; Dec. 82½, a82½; Jan. 83½, a83½, corn.—Southern firm and dull; white 58x60; yelow 53a55; Western firmer and dull; mixed Cet.51a51%; Nov. 50a51½; year 487½, asked. Oats firm; Southern and Penna 30a35; Western white 44a 36; do mixed 32½, a334. Bye firm and quiet.55a 60. Provisions steady, with a fair inquiry Potatoes steady at \$2a2.40. Coffee nominally steady; Kio cargoes ordinary to fair 183½, a19½, Sugar higher; A soft 6½. Whiskey steady at \$1.14a1.15. Other articles unchanged. BALTIMORE, Oct. S .- Cotion steady and d

Ngw York, Oct. 8.—Cotton quiet; uplands 97-16; Orleans 9.9-16; futures opened firm but closed steady. Flour quiet and steady. Wheat unchanged. Corn casier. Pork dull at \$15.00s 15.25; old mess \$14.25a14.50. Lard steady at

CHICAGO, Oct. 8, 11 a. m.—Dec. Wheat began at 727<sub>8</sub> and is now quoted at 72 13-16; May 784<sub>4</sub>. Nov Corn 42<sup>6</sup><sub>8</sub>; May Corn 45 7.16. Nov Oats 26<sup>1</sup><sub>4</sub>. Year Pork \$12 25. Nov Lard \$6 32<sup>1</sup><sub>2</sub>. Oct short ribs \$7.35.

DRY GOODS.

Now or never.

10,000 YARDS OF THE FINEST QUALITY New Style Dress Goods

Becently received.

These beautiful Dress Goods (French Serge) are all pure fine French Wool, wide double width, in all colors—Blue, Black, Brown, Bronze, Green and Garnet. They are cheep at 62½ Who have reduced the price to 37½c. Every day we sell from 150 to 200 yards; in a few weeks they will all be sold. Colored and Black Silk Velvets, each value \$1, price reduced to 75c. Blankets, slightly soiled, \$2,\$2.25,\$2.50 and \$2.75; beautiful new style Dress Goods, all colors, worth 20c a yard, reduced price 12 yards for \$1.50. Positively no credit Each customer who buys \$5 worth or over will receive a handsome pair of Damask Towels, worth \$1. Each customer who buys \$10 worth or over will receive a large size handsome Bridal Quilt worth \$1. Becently received.

CARTER'S.

711 Market Space, near Seventh Street. Washington, D. C

PROPOSALS.

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Alexandria, Va., Oct. 7, 1887.
Sealed proposals will be received up to the 18th instant for furnishing 150 COEDS OF MERCHANTABLE PINE WOOD, delivered at the corporation wharf, on the Union street track, or at the W., O. & W. R. R. depet.
Wood to be delivered by the 1st of December, 1887.

And proposals will also be received for hauling ling and delivering the same. Bids will be opened at the Auditor's Office TUESDAY October 18, 1887, at 8 o'clock p. m. By order of the Committee on Poor.

By order of the Committee on Poor. oc7-td GEO. W. FISHER, Chairman.

Alexandria, Va., Oct. 7, 1887.

Sealed proposals will be received up to the 18th instant from the grocers of the city for supplying the poor of the different wards with the following: Super Flour, per pound. Meal, per peck. Coffee (green) per pound.

Tea, per ounce Sugar, per pound. Smoked Bacon, per pound. Fish, per dozen. For three months from December 1, 1887, with

privilege of renewing after the expiration of abov ntract.

Bids will be opened at the Auditor's office TUES-

DAY October 18, 1887, at 8 o'clock p. m., and a bond in the sum of (\$250) two hundred and fifty dollars will be required by the successful bidder.

By order of the Committee on Poor,
ce7-td GEO, W. FISHER, Chairman.

DROPOSALS.

Scaled proposals, addressed to the undersigned, will be received at the Auditor's office until 12 m. WEDNESDAY the 12th day of October, 1887, for delivery on the order of the Auditor of 30 tons WHITE ASH EGG COAL. " STOVE

More or less, best quality, in such quantities and at such time as may be desired. Terms—Cash on delivery if desired. F. E. CORRETT. oc7-td Chp. Joint Com. on Public Property.

DARIS GREEN! PARIS GREEN!

Another large supply just received. Put up in 1-lb and ½ lb cans. For sale by je6 W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. L'ENCING WIRE-We have now a full stock of

Fence Wire, both with and without twisted and ribbon, and we are selling it lo JAS. F. CARLIN & SON

BISQUE FIGURES, Lava Flower Pots, Vases in China and Glass; also "The Fairy Lamp," which is having such a run in other cities, and which has never been offered for sale here before, deel 3. E. J. MILLER, SON & CO. FOR EXCURSIONISTS—Extra Chipped Beef,

f Sardines, Canned Salmon and Lobster, Potted Meats, Crackers, Cakes, Lime Juice, Oranges, Meats. Crackers, Co., Sc., Sor sale by Lemons, Sc., &c., for sale by J. C. MILBURN. WROUGHT SPIKES FOR BRIDGE and EOAT BUILDERS at S8 King, corner of Royal street. An assortment of sizes for sale cheap to

J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. CASTORINE: CASTORINE:-Baum's ever

Wagons, Carts, &c. Never Gums; Never Chills For sale by [je9] W. F. CREIGHTON & CO. COFFEES-We do not sell package Coffees; sell at our store.

J. C. MILBURN.

MINERAL WATERS and GINGER ALE—We will from this date supply the family trade with STABLER'S MINERAL WATERS. Leave your orders at our store. ap11 GEO. McBURNEY & SON. je2